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ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND SEWER SYSTEM BYPASS

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, Md. –

The Wastewater Treatment Plant in the Edgewood Area of Aberdeen Proving Ground (APG) experienced a wastewater system Bypass between 8:30 a.m. and 10:15 p.m.

Approximately 66,600 gallons of partially treated wastewater bypassed secondary treatment, completed treatment and discharged into the Bush River near APG in the Edgewood Area.

The Harford County Department of Health and the Maryland Department of the Environment were notified of the event.

The public should avoid water contact and fishing in the affected area for 30 days or until the water returns to normal. APG is monitoring the water quality.

Questions should be directed to 410-278-1147 or 800-688-8705.